

# SUSI - U.S. Summer Institute for Student Leaders

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STUDY OF THE U.S. INSTITUTES (SUSI) FOR STUDENT LEADERS WILL TAKE PLACE AT VARIOUS COLLEGES, UNIVERSITIES, AND ACADEMIC INSTITUTIONS THROUGHOUT THE UNITED STATES DURING THE JUNE TO AUGUST TIMEFRAME IN 2022; EXACT DATES WILL BE COMMUNICATED AT THE TIME OF SELECTION. INSTITUTE INCLUDES A FOUR-WEEK ACADEMIC RESIDENCY COMPONENT AND A ONE-WEEK INTEGRATED STUDY TOUR TO ANOTHER REGION OF THE UNITED STATES.

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#### SUSI STUDENT LEADERS

#### THE INSTITUTE ON CIVIC ENGAGEMENT

HOSTED BY THE MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY, WILL PROVIDE PARTICIPANTS WITH AN OVERVIEW OF HOW CITIZENS HAVE SHAPED U.S. HISTORY, GOVERNMENT, AND SOCIETY. THE ACADEMIC PROGRAM WILL EXPLORE TOPICS SUCH AS CITIZENSHIP, COMMUNITY BUILDING, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, GRASSROOTS ACTIVISM, POLITICAL LEADERSHIP, VOLUNTEERISM, AND OTHERS. THE INSTITUTE WILL ENCOURAGE PARTICIPANTS TO DEVELOP INNOVATIVE AND PRACTICAL PLANS TO BECOME ENGAGED CITIZENS IN THEIR OWN COMMUNITIES. ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES WILL BE SUPPLEMENTED WITH A STUDY TOUR TO SEATTLE, WASHINGTON.

## CANDIDATE DESCRIPTION AND QUALIFICATIONS

- CANDIDATES MUST DEMONSTRATE ENGLISH LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY
- CANDIDATES MUST BE BETWEEN 18 AND 25 YEARS OF AGE
- CANDIDATES HAVE AT LEAST ONE SEMESTER LEFT OF STUDIES IN THEIR BACHELOR'S DEGREE
- CANDIDATES HAVE A SUSTAINED HIGH LEVEL OF ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT
- CANDIDATES HAVE LITTLE OR NO PRIOR STUDY OR TRAVEL EXPERIENCE IN THE U.S. OR ELSEWHERE OUTSIDE OF THEIR HOME COUNTRY
- CANDIDATES ARE WILLING TO FULLY PARTICIPATE IN THE INTENSIVE ACADEMIC PROGRAM,
   COMMUNITY SERVICE, AND EDUCATIONAL TRAVEL
- CANDIDATES ARE MATURE, RESPONSIBLE, INDEPENDENT, TOLERANT, AND INQUISITIVE
- INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES OR FROM DISADVANTAGED GROUPS ARE ENCOURAGED TO APPLY

APPLICATION DEADLINE IS <u>DECEMBER 31, 2021</u>
SUSI PROGRAMS ARE FULLY FUNDED BY U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE
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